**State, ACT, and Common Core Standards Alignment**

Standards to Use for Common Benchmark Assessment Development

| ***Tennessee Standards*** | **ACT Standards** | **Common Core Standards** | |
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| R.8.2 Use knowledge of sentence structure to comprehend text | Score 16-19 sentence structure | PLE R3.1 Recognizes vocabulary in a variety of contexts |
| W.2.3 Construct correct sentences including a variety of sentence types and styles | Conventions of usage score 20-23 | PLE W3.2 Writes independently using a variety of structures |
| W.4.1 Correctly use parts of speech, including making them agree | Conventions of usage score 24-27 | PLE S3.1 Communicates using standard English |
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